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10/748,055-Conf. #8334 December 31, 2003 R. Akhavan 1636 Applicant(s): Yoko MOTODA et al.									
Invention: METHOD OF PRODUCING TEMPLATE DNA AND METHOD OF PRODUCING PROTEIN IN CELL-FREE PROTEIN SYNTHESIS SYSTEM USING THE SAME									
MS AF Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.									
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SYSTEM USING THE SAME

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## AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL ACTION (37 C.F.R. SECTION 1.116)

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## **INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Office Action dated September 8, 2005, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10 of this paper.